



St Teresa's Primary School Lurgan

Curriculum Overview 2020– 2021 Primary 5

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theme 1-God • Theme 2-Introducing the Bible The Bible teaches Us about God Theme 3-John the Baptist Jesus the Teacher Jesus the Healer The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick Theme 4-Advent & Christmas The Gift of Time Mary visits Elizabeth Glory to God in the Highest 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theme 6-The Great Commandments Love God. Love your Neighbour Living the Great Commandment Theme 7 Holy Week Easter Theme 8 The Church Is a Community of Believers Pentecost Life in a Parish Baptist 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participating in assemblies throughout the year • May Altar • Theme 9 Celtic Christianity Early Christian Ireland Christian Pilgrimage Theme 10 At Mass We Listen the Word of God At Mass We Remember and Give Thanks Seasonal Themes
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Language and Literacy

Phonics/Spelling	Talking & Listening	Reading	Writing
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read and spell words from the Extended Code • Multi-syllabic words • Plurals, prefixes, suffixes, word endings • Sort words into groups e.g. same letters to make a sound • Use dictionaries • Thesaurus 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Listen and respond to others, to a range of fiction, non-fiction and poetry texts • Participate in class discussions • Ask appropriate questions to seek information • Speak clearly and audibly • Pair and share activities • Participate in class assemblies/plays and use appropriate quality of speech • Small group discussions • Spanish lessons 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read from a wide range of texts • Express opinions and give reasons based on what they have read • Read with independence for enjoyment and information • Participate in modelled, shared, paired and guided reading activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children will have the opportunities to write in different styles e.g. descriptions, imaginative, recounts, poems, playscript • Participate in modelled, shared and independent writing • Talk about and plan their writing • Develop increasing confidence in their use of grammar and punctuation • Use a legible style of handwriting • Begin to check their writing for mistakes

Mathematics and Numeracy

Processes	Number	Measures	Shape and Space	Handling Data
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can suggest different ways to solve a problem • Use mental methods to work out an answer • Can collect information and present it in simple ways • Can use mathematical language correctly • Can estimate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand and use numbers to 9999 • Have a quick recall of number facts to 20 • Understand and use simple fractions • Know multiplication facts up to 10 x 10 • Solve problems involving add/sub/multi/div of numbers up to 9999 • Use the 4 operations to solve money problems • Sequence numbers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area of shape by counting squares and half squares • Work out simple perimeters • Estimate, measure and record length and weight • Recognise times on analogue and digital clocks at 5 minute intervals • Can read and solve problems using a calendar • Convert m – cm, g – kg and vice versa 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Name and describe common 2d and 3d shapes • Make 3d shapes from nets • Symmetry • Right angles • Clockwise and anti clockwise • Co-ordinates 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can collect and record information needed for an activity • Can read information from tables and charts • Use RM Starting Graph to make a variety of graphs to display information

The Arts

Music	Drama	Art and Design
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Listen and respond to music • Sing a variety of songs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role play • Christmas Class Play • Begin to develop basic drama strategies – freeze frame, hot-seating, thought-tracking etc. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with a range of materials and media • Use different techniques to enhance work-smudging, blending etc • Develop observational skills and creativity • Opportunities to participate in competitions • Participate in Gallery Sessions to express views and opinions

The World Around Us

Geography	History	Science and Technology
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geographical features, rivers, deserts, mountains, volcanoes, oceans, glaciers • Aspects of the countryside through the seasons • Comparisons between people and places • Comparisons between weather here and in Egypt • Locating places on local and world maps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People from the past – first farmers, Mesolithic and Neolithic times • Ancient Egyptians • Origins and traditions of our own culture e.g. Halloween, Christmas, St Patrick 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How we grow, move, stay healthy • Location of some of the organs in the body, heart and brain • Human skeleton and its function • The main stages of the lifecycle of some living things • Electricity, sound, materials, reduce, reuse, recycle

Personal Development and Mutual Understanding

Personal understanding and Health	Mutual understanding
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Self awareness • Feelings • Setting goals • Understand need for a healthy lifestyle • Keeping safe • Awareness of bullying and how to develop strategies to deal with this 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Become aware of their responsibilities at home and at school • School rules • How to be a good friend • Identifying ways in which conflict may arise at home/school and exploring ways to resolve conflict • Appreciate similarities and differences in people (religion, disability, culture etc) • Taking care of our environment

Physical Education

Athletics	Dance	Games	Gymnastics
Develop skills Running Jumping Throwing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children will have opportunities to explore and develop - body actions – travelling, turning, gestures • Space – making shapes, space awareness, high and low levels, pathways • Dynamics – fast/slow, light/heavy, walk/march • Composition – create and practise simple movement sequences 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop skills – handling, hitting, kicking • Introduce rules • Variety of games – to develop skills such as dodging, chasing, starting, stopping, spacial awareness, simple tactics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore range of movement skills • Travelling, jumping, climbing, rolling, transferring weight and balancing • Create and perform simple sequences